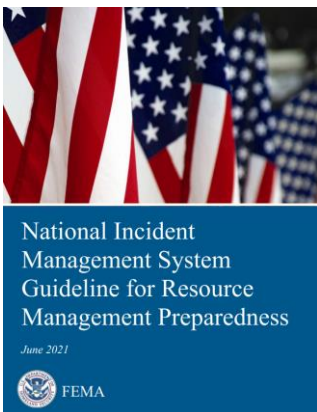# Resource Inventory System

The Resource Inventory System (RIS) is a centralized, secure, and cloud-hosted resource inventory solution for use by the community in building and strengthening resource management preparedness. RIS enables organizations and users to identify and inventory their resources consistently with National Incident Management System (NIMS) resource typing definitions and National Qualification System (NQS) positions.

Use the Resource Inventory System To:

- Implement resource typing and inventorying across your organization.
- Automatically use the NIMS resource typing definitions cataloged in the Resource Typing Library Tool (RTLT).
- Create local definitions when NIMS definitions or position qualification sheets do not align or apply.
- Local definitions populate to a common library for viewing by all organizations using RIS.

- Use a basic "Resource Typing Calculator" functionality to aid organizations in confirming which NIMS resource typing definition their resource aligns to when inventorying.
- Increase appropriate resource data sharing (view only) across organizations to support preparedness, planning, and response.
- RIS is centralized & cloud hosted and was developed based on the downloadable IRIS software provided by FEMA.

The Resource Inventory System is available at no-cost to all state, local, territorial, and Tribal agencies, non-governmental organizations, and other mission partners.

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Use the Resource Inventory System to inventory and manage your organization's teams, personnel, equipment, facilities, and supplies.

Teams **Personnel** **Equipment** **Facilities** **Supplies**

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